

MINUTES OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

Tuesday, June 7, 2005

9:00 a.m.

Room 307 House Office Building, Lansing

Representative LaJoy, Chair, called the meeting to order.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Representatives LaJoy, David Law, Gosselin, Meyer, Casperson, Nitz, Wenke, Pavlov, Pearce, Anderson, Byrnes, Kathleen Law, Gleason, Leland. (14/17)

ABSENT/EXCUSED: Representatives Moore, Murphy, Hood III. (3/17)

Representative Wenke made a motion to adopt the minutes of the meeting of May 31, 2005, supported by Representative Gosselin. No objections being offered, a unanimous ballot was cast to accept the minutes as presented.

The Chair laid HB 4852, HB 4857 and HB 4858 before the Committee.

HB 4852	Casperson	Transportation; carriers; revisions to motor carrier safety act to comply with federal law; provide for.
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HB 4857	LaJoy	Transportation; other; revisions to motor bus transportation act to comply with federal law; provide for.
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HB 4858	Anderson	Traffic control; other; certain requirements for commercial vehicle operators; revise to comply with federal law.
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Sgt. Matt Bolger and Lt. David Ford, representing the Michigan State Police (MSP), reviewed the contents of the bills with Committee members and answered questions.

Cards indicating support for the bills were submitted by Walter Heinritzi, representing the Michigan Trucking Association, and Mark Burton, representing the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT).

Representative Gosselin made a motion to adopt HB 4852 (H-3), supported by Representative Byrnes.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives LaJoy, David Law, Gosselin, Meyer, Casperson, Nitz, Wenke, Pavlov, Pearce, Anderson, Byrnes, Kathleen Law, Gleason, Leland. (14/17)

Nays: None. (0/17)

Pass: None. (0/17) (14/0/0)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Representative Casperson made a motion to report HB 4852 (H-3) with recommendation, supported by Representative Anderson.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives LaJoy, David Law, Gosselin, Meyer, Casperson, Nitz, Wenke, Pavlov, Pearce, Anderson, Byrnes, Kathleen Law, Gleason, Leland. (14/17)

Nays: None. (0/17)

Pass: None. (0/17) (14/0/0)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Representative Wenke made a motion to report HB 4857 with recommendation, supported by Representative Byrnes.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives LaJoy, David Law, Gosselin, Meyer, Casperson, Nitz, Wenke, Pavlov, Pearce, Anderson, Byrnes, Kathleen Law, Gleason, Leland. (14/17)

Nays: None. (0/17)

Pass: None. (0/17) (14/0/0)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Representative Gosselin made a motion to adopt HB 4858 (H-1), supported by Representative David Law.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives LaJoy, David Law, Gosselin, Meyer, Casperson, Nitz, Wenke, Pavlov, Pearce, Anderson, Byrnes, Kathleen Law, Gleason, Leland. (14/17)

Nays: None. (0/17)

Pass: None. (0/17) (14/0/0)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Representative Anderson made a motion to report HB 4858 (H-1), supported by Representative Gosselin.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Representatives LaJoy, David Law, Gosselin, Meyer, Casperson, Nitz, Wenke, Pavlov, Pearce, Anderson, Byrnes, Kathleen Law, Gleason, Leland. (14/17)

Nays: None. (0/17)

Pass: None. (0/17) (14/0/0)

A sufficient number of members voting in the affirmative, the motion prevailed.

Representative Meyer made a motion to excuse absent members, supported by Representative Anderson. No objections being offered, absent members were excused.

There being no additional business before the Committee, Chair LaJoy declared the meeting adjourned, the time being 9:21 a.m.

Representative Philip LaJoy, Chair

Catherine Petroskey, Committee Clerk
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